



GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

MEDIA ALERT

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Newton County

LANE CLOSURES WESTBOUND AND EASTBOUND ON I-20 FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

WHEN: Friday, June 5 and Saturday, June 6

WHERE: I-20 eastbound and westbound between State Route 81 and State Route 142

WHAT: The contractor will close one left eastbound lane from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day and one right westbound from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. each day for the removal of guardrail and asphalt work.

It is important for motorists to use caution when traveling through a work zone. Signs will be posted alerting drivers of the work zone area. Please note that speed limits in a work zone are reduced and enforced. Fines are doubled for speeding in a work zone.

Georgia DOT urges travelers to call 511 for updated information about this project. Georgia 511 is a free phone service that provides real-time traffic and travel information statewide, such as traffic conditions, incidents, lane closures, construction, and delays due to bad weather. Callers can also reach live operators to request assistance or report incidents 24 hours a day, seven days a week. More information is available at www.511ga.org.

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